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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application
SIMS, et al.

Group Art Unit 1648

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
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Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated June 18, 2002, for an additional two (2) months from September 18, 2002 to November 18, 2002.

A check in the amount of \$200.00 (small entity) is enclosed in payment of the Petition fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge account no. 50-0436. Additionally, any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 50-0436.

Respectfully submitted,

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